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## **REMARKS**

The specification has been amended to include a "Related Applications" section, which states that the present application is a 35 U.S.C. §371 national phase application of PCT International Application No. PCT/EP2005/001582 and claims priority to the identified European and U.S. patent applications. The amendments to the claims are based on the claims as amended by the amended sheets received by the European Patent Office on October 15, 2005 and published with International Preliminary Report on Patentability (IPRP). New Claims 9-16 include the same subject matter as canceled Claims 1-8.

Please enter this amendment prior to calculating the fee in this case. Applicant respectfully requests substantive examination on the merits.

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